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Title of Invention : *METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LICENSING AND  
CONTROLLING ACCESS, USE, AND VIABILITY OF  
PRODUCT UTILIZING GEOGRAPHIC POSITION*

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant would like to bring the following  
publications to the attention of the U.S. Patent Office in this application and requests that the  
Examiner consider them and make them of record.

US PATENTS

<u>PATENT NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE OF PATENT</u>	<u>INVENTOR(S)</u>
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FOREIGN PATENTS

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18. WO 00/39602	7/6/00	WIPO

Enclosed herewith is a copy of PTO-1449, in duplicate, along with copies of these publications. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider and make of record the documents cited herein by initialing PTO-1449 and returning a copy to Applicant.

As this IDS is being filed before Applicant's receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, it is believed no fee is due. However, if a fee is required, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge the cost thereof to Deposit Account 50-0320.

An early action on the merits is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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